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3 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
4 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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6 PETER SLACK,

7 Plaintiff,

8 v.

9 UNITED AIRLINES, INC.,

10 Defendant.

11 Case No. 2:18-cv-00899-GMN-DJA

12 **ORDER**

13 This matter is before the Court on Defendant's Motion to Extend Time re the Dispositive
14 Motions Deadline (ECF No. 60) and Motion to Extend Time to File a Responsive Pleading (ECF
15 No. 61), filed on March 27, 2020. Plaintiff filed a Response (ECF No. 63) on March 30, 2020.
16 His Response was not entered on the docket until March 31, 2020, when the Court entered its
17 Order regarding what should be included in his response. (ECF No. 62).

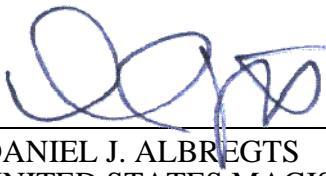
18 Nevertheless, given the global COVID-19 pandemic, it is hardly surprising that Defendant
19 requests an extension of 60 days to the current dispositive motions deadline and to file a
20 responsive pleading due the current social distancing mandate. What is surprising to the Court is
21 that Plaintiff clearly admits that he is aware of the circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic and
22 insists that Defendant should be able to continue operating without any extensions in this case.
23 Accordingly, Plaintiff objects to Defendant's realistic and common-sense motions to continue the
24 dispositive motions and responsive pleading deadlines even though it is not clear when
25 Defendant's business will be fully operational in order to obtain declarations from necessary
26 employees in support of its dispositive motions filing. Plaintiff's Response lacks any
27 understanding of the concepts of compassion, equity, flexibility, respect, social conscience, and
28 civility. The Court finds that the two extension requests – to extend the dispositive motions

1 deadline of April 22, 2020 and responsive pleading deadline of April 6, 2020 – by 60 days are
2 supported by good cause and shall be granted.

3 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Extend Time re the
4 Dispositive Motions Deadline (ECF No. 60) is **granted**.

5 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Extend Time to File a
6 Responsive Pleading (ECF No. 61) is **granted**.

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8 DATED: March 31, 2020.
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DANIEL J. ALBREGTS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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